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Applicant(s): Daouse et al.  
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Title: PROCESS FOR PREPARING, PRIOR TO FILLING, A WAFER CORNET,  
CORNET THUS OBTAINED AND INSTALLATION FOR IMPLEMENTING  
THE PROCESS  
Art Unit: 1794  
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated April 22, 2009, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.